

ALEXANDRIA:

WEDNESDAY MORNING, APRIL 23, 1834.

MR. PRESTON.

The dinner which a number of the young Men of Philadelphia gave on Friday last, to Senator Preston was a brilliant and satisfactory festival. It was served at the Washington Hall. Upwards of four hundred gentlemen sat down to table: Caleb Cope, Esq. presided, assisted by several Vice-Presidents. Immediately at the right of the Chair, sat Colonel Preston, Mr. McDuffie, Mr. Sergeant, Mayor Swift, General Duff Green, Mr. Duane late Secretary of the Treasury, Henry Troth, Esq. President of the Common Council, Colonel Mathews, and Mr. Jones, of South Carolina.

Colonel Preston, Mr. McDuffie, Mr. Sergeant, and Mr. Duane delivered very cogent and exciting addresses.

Another Chapter of History.—The following Message from the President of the United States to the Senate, was received and read in that body at the opening of Monday's sitting:

To the Senate of the United States:

Having reason to believe that certain passages contained in my Message and Protest, transmitted to the Senate on the 17th instant, may be misunderstood, I think it proper to state that it was not my intention to deny, in the said Message, the power and right of the Legislative Department to provide by law for the custody, safe-keeping, and disposition of the public money and property of the United States.

Although I am well satisfied that such a construction is not warranted by any thing contained in that Message, yet aware, from experience, that detached passages of an argumentative document, when disconnected from their context, and considered without reference to previous limitations, and the particular positions they were intended to refute or to establish, may be made to bear a construction varying altogether from the sentiments really entertained and intended to be expressed; and deeply solicitous that my views on this point should not, either now or hereafter, be misapprehended, I have deemed it due to the gravity of the subject, to the great interests it involves, and to the Senate, as well as to myself, to embrace the earliest opportunity to make this communication.

I admit, without reserve, as I have before done, the constitutional power of the Legislature to provide by law the place or places in which the public money or other property is to be deposited; and to make such regulations concerning its custody, removal or disposition, as they may think proper to enact. Nor do I claim for the Executive any right to the possession or disposition of the public property or treasure, or any authority to interfere with the same, except when such possession, disposition, or authority, is given to him by law; nor do I claim the right in any manner to supervise or interfere with the person entrusted with such property or treasure, unless he be an officer whose appointment, under the Constitution and laws, is devolved upon the President alone, or in conjunction with the Senate, and for whose conduct he is constitutionally responsible.

As the Message and Protest referred to may appear on the Journal of the Senate, and remain among the recorded documents of the nation, I am unwilling that opinions should be imputed to me, even through misconstruction, which are not contained in it; and more particularly am I solicitous that I may not be supposed to claim for myself, or my successors, any power or authority not clearly granted, by the Constitution and laws, to the President. I have, therefore, respectfully to request that this communication may be considered a part of that Message, and that it may be entered therewith on the Journals of the Senate.

ANDREW JACKSON.
April 21, 1834.

Mr. Poindexter has modified his resolution that the President's Protest be not received, so as to read as follows:—

Resolved, That the President, in transmitting the paper which he did to the Senate, on the 17th instant, which he requested to be placed on its Journals, as an Executive Protest, against a Resolution passed by the Senate, made a communication not authorized by the Constitution, nor warranted by that mutual interchange of communications which the discharge of official duties render necessary and proper between the Legislative Departments of the Government.

Resolved, That the President, in the paper above referred to, assumes powers in relation to the Senate not authorized by the Constitution, and calculated, in its consequences, to destroy that harmony which ought to exist between the co-ordinate Departments of the General Government; to interfere with the Senate in the discharge of its duties; to degrade it in the public opinion; and finally, to destroy its independence, by subjecting its rights and duties to the determination and control of the Chief Magistrate.

Resolved, That the communication of a paper of such a character, with the declarations that accompanied it, is a plain, an open breach of the constitutional rights and privileges of the Senate, and that it cannot be received by the body, without a surrender of the just powers confided to it by the Constitution, in trust, to secure the liberty, and promote the prosperity of these States, and which the members are bound to maintain under the sacred obligations of an oath.

Resolved, therefore, That the paper be not received by the Senate.

Dr. BRADMONT, the surgeon, who a few months since published a work, setting forth his experiments upon the stomach of a patient, to which he had direct access by means of a shot wound, has recently visited Boston with the same patient, and exhibited the wonderful and satisfactory operations to the College of Physicians in that city. The Medical Journal observes:

"The parts appear precisely as described in his work, but present a color of brighter red than we had been led to anticipate. So curious a view of this most extraordinary case served, it is true, little other purpose than to gratify a very laudable curiosity, since there was no time to repeat any of Dr. B.'s experiments. Cold water, which the young man drank in abundance passed, freely through the orifice of his side, and a probe, with half its length in the stomach, exhibit very clearly the peculiar movement of that organ. The facts stated by Dr. B. whilst conversing on this case, led us to conclude, that the subject has been by no means exhausted in his published volume, but the pro-

fession may yet anticipate some further light on the functions of the stomach, from the investigations which it is his intention to pursue, for several years, with the aid of his Canadian patient."

Chesapeake and Delaware Canal.—The Cecil Republican of Saturday says:—A gentleman from the vicinity of the Canal has informed us that this morning about three o'clock the Bank of the Canal across Broad Creek gave way and left the bed thereof perfectly clear of water.—The damage is incalculable; the Banks and Two Path having in consequence fallen in at several other places. Five vessels are lying in the Canal at Chesapeake without a drop of water, and many others may be in a similar situation east thereof.

We learn from the Cecil (Md.) Republican that George Stebbings, who was sometime since arrested, and against whom the Grand Jury of that county had found a bill, charging him with the murder of Evelina Cunningham, in 1825, was tried last week and acquitted. The editor intimates that the verdict of acquittal does not harmonize with public opinion, and promises a full report of the trial in his next paper.

Stebbings immediately after his discharge, in consequence of this acquittal, was arrested and committed to jail, on a charge of *stealing lumber*—where, it is was thought, he would have to remain until the sitting of the County Court in October next.

Rhode Island Election.—An Election was last week held in the State of Rhode-Island, for Governor of the State, and Members of the Legislature. Governor Francis, (Administrative and Anti-masonic,) is re-elected by a majority of something more than a hundred votes. Last year, his majority was 749. There is a gain to the Opposition of several Members in the House of Representatives: the Senate doubtful. It is understood that, before the Election, Governor F. declared himself to be decidedly opposed to the recent measure of the Executive.—*Nat. Int.*

DIED.

On Monday, 21st inst., in Georgetown, D. C. Mrs. ANN RIORDAN. "Who can find a virtuous woman? for her price is far above rubies. She stretcheth out her hand to the poor; yea, she reacheth forth her hands to the needy. She openeth her mouth with wisdom, and in her tongue is the law of kindness. Her children arise up and call her blessed."—*Prov. Chap. 31.*

On Thursday the 10th instant, at his residence in this county, Mr. WILLIAM S. SUMMERS, aged 37 years. Mr. S. had been actively engaged in business in this county for several years, and had secured to himself the confidence and esteem of a large circle of friends and acquaintances. He possessed a quick and vigorous mind, and a heart "open as day to melting charity." He has left to his children their best inheritance, an honest name; and to his family and friends, the only consolation which could alleviate their grief, an assurance that he is happy in another and a better world. His last scenes furnished the most triumphant evidence of the sufficiency of the Christian's hope, to sustain us, in the last fearful hour, and light us safely to the chambers of the grave. Perhaps no individual ever gave more satisfactory evidence of his acceptance with God, or afforded a more striking exhibition of his sustaining goodness. His protracted sufferings, he bore with remarkable patience and resignation, regarding them only as the necessary inconveniences of his journey to the skies, and finally expired without a struggle or a sigh.

"Death's but the path that must be trod,
If man would ever pass to God."

Kanawha Banner.

SHIP NEWS.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, D. C.

ARRIVED, APRIL 19,

Schr. Leo, McKinney, Turks Island, 30 days; salt to Joshua Yeaton.

Schr. Mary Eliza, Clark, East Port; plaster to J. & W. H. Irwin.

Schr. Hope, Beetly, Petersburg; pine wood to Geo. Johnson & Co.

Capt. Taylor, of the sloop Union, from Alexandria, bound to Philad. reports that the bank of the Upper Level of the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal gave way on Saturday morning about 3 o'clock, and that nearly all the water had run out, which had rendered the Canal impassable. The Union will be compelled to come round by sea.—*Phil. paper.*

TURKS ISLAND SALT AFLOAT.
1500 Bushels Turks Island Salt, cargo of British schooner Leo, for sale in lots. Apply to J. YEATON.
apr 23—6t

BERMUDA ARROW ROOT, &c.
16 Boxes Bermuda Arrow Root
1 cask Old Copper
Just received and for sale by J. YEATON.
apr 23—6t

LATHS! LATHS!
EIGHTY Thousand good quality Laths, just received and for sale, very low, by WILLIAM N. McVEIGH.
apr 23

SODA WATER.
THE subscriber has his Fountains in complete order, and will warrant his SODA WATER to be as highly charged with gas, and in every respect equal to any in the place. He solicits a share of public patronage.

WM. HARPER,
Druggist, Alexandria.
P. S. Just received, a general supply of *Drugs and Medicines*, together with all such articles as are usually found in a Drug Store; all of which he warrants equal in quality, and as low in price, as any in the place.
W. H.
apr 23—eo2w

NOTICE.

THE Mechanic's Bank is removed to Fairfax street, one door north of the Second Presbyterian Church. Office hours every day (except Sundays) from 10 to 12 o'clock.

THOS. VOWELL, Cashier.

TO RENT.
A large BRICK STABLE, on Fayette street. Apply as above.

apr 23—w3w

ST. UBES SALT, AFLOAT.
THE cargo of the brig Pembroke, Meacom, master, from St. Ubes, of Bright Salt. Apply to W. FOWLE & CO.
apr 15



VIRGINIA ELECTIONS.

FAIRFAX.

S. M. Ball elected. Ball (Anti-Jackson) 214; Daniel (Jackson) 153.

HENRY.

Peyton Gravelly (Anti-Jackson) elected.

PETERSBURG.

J. T. Brown (Anti-Jackson) elected.

FRANKLIN.

Holland and Wade (Jackson) elected.

BOTETOURT.

Wilson and Miller (Jackson) elected.

MATTHEWS & MIDDLESEX.

Matthews has voted. Todd (Jackson) ahead.

RUSSELL.

Hopkins (Jackson) elected.

NOTICE.

JURORS and Witnesses who served at October Term, 1833, in the Circuit Court for the County of Alexandria, are requested to call at the Marshal's office, on Washington street between the hours of nine and three o'clock, for Payment. D. MINOR, D. M.
apr. 23 For A Hunter, Marshal.

DRAWS TO-MORROW

Literature Lottery of the State of Delaware, Class No. 17 for 1834, Will be drawn in Wilmington on Thursday, April 24

HIGHEST PRIZE \$10,000!

Tickets \$3 00; halves 1 50; quarters 1 25.

Virginia State Lottery,
For the benefit of the Monongalia Academy,
Class No. 3 for 1834,
Will be drawn at Catts' Tavern, West End, on Saturday, April 26

1 prize of \$20,000 | 1 prize of \$2,000
1 do of 5,000 | 1 do of 1,500
75 Capital Prizes of \$500! &c.

Tickets \$4 50; halves 2 25; quarters 1 12
To be had in a variety of numbers of

J. W. VIOLETT,

LOTTERY AND EXCHANGE BROKER,
Near the corner of King and Fayette Streets,
Alexandria, D. C.

DRAWS TO-MORROW

Literature Lottery of the State of Delaware, Class No. 17 for 1834, To be drawn at Wilmington, Thursday, April 24

HIGHEST PRIZE \$10,000.

Tickets \$3 00; halves 1 50; quarters 0 75

DRAWS ON SATURDAY

Virginia State Lottery,
For the benefit of the Monongalia Academy,
Class No. 3 for 1834,
To be drawn at Alexandria, Va. on Saturday, April 26

1 prize of \$20,000 | 1 prize of \$2,000
1 do of 5,000 | 1 prize of 1,500
75 prizes of \$500! &c. &c.

Tickets \$4 50; halves 2 25; quarters 1 12 1-2
To be had in a variety of numbers of

J. CORSE,

Lottery & Exchange Broker, Alexandria.

DRAWS TO-MORROW

Literature Lottery of the State of Delaware, Class No. 17 for 1834, To be drawn at Wilmington, Thursday, April 24

HIGHEST PRIZE \$10,000.

Tickets \$3 00; halves 1 50; quarters 0 75

Virginia State Lottery,
For the benefit of the Monongalia Academy,
Class No. 3 for 1834,

To be drawn at Catts' Tavern, West End, on Saturday, April 26
1 prize of \$20,000 | 1 prize of \$2,000
1 do of 5,000 | 1 prize of 1,500
75 capital prizes of \$500!

Tickets \$4 50; halves 2 25; quarters 1 12
On sale in great variety by

JAS. RIORDAN.

Uncurrent Notes and Foreign Gold purchased.

FOR PHILADELPHIA.

The packet sloop MILLER, DAVID TEAL, master, will sail on Thursday. For freight apply on board, or to

apr 22 STEPHEN SHINN, Janney's wharf.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER,

The Brig RUBY, Captain LEAVITT, a good vessel, of about 1000 barrels, now ready to load for any port.

apr 21 A. C. CAZENOVE & CO.

FOR HALIFAX.

The fine British Schooner CARRIBOO, J. H. DOANE, master, will have despatch, and take 300 barrels on freight. Apply to

apr 18 W. FOWLE & CO.

GENESEE FAMILY FLOUR

FOR sale by LINCOLN CHAMBERLAIN,
apr 22 Vowell's wharf.

NEWMARKET GOODS.

40 Bales 3-4 and 4-4 Newmarket Brown Sheetings and Shirts, landing from schr. March, for sale by W. FOWLE & Co.
apr 21

N. E. RUM.

50 Hds. Boston Rum, in store and landing from schr. March, for sale by W. FOWLE & Co.
apr 21

ORANGES AND LEMONS.

200 Boxes Oranges
50 do Lemons, for sale by W. FOWLE & Co.
apr 21

MERCER POTATOES, SPARS & LUMBER
2,000 Bushels Mercer Potatoes
1,000 inches Spruce Spars
15,000 feet White Pine Lumber
Received per schr. Sophronia from Bangor, Me., and for sale by J. YEATON.
apr 21—3t

PLUG TOBACCO, &c.

15 Boxes Plug Tobacco, prime quality
1 case Hats
2 casks Sperm Oil
5 boxes Souchong Tea
12 jars Rappee Snuff
Just received, and for sale by LINCOLN CHAMBERLAIN,
apr 21 Vowell's wharf.

PLUG TOBACCO.

15 Boxes prime Plug Tobacco, 12's, landing from schr. Columbia, and for sale by WILLIAM N. McVEIGH.
apr 21

GENESEE FLOUR.

A FURTHER supply of this prime article, for family use, (Red Beach brand) for sale by STEPHEN SHINN,
apr 21 Janney's Wharf.

CONGRESS.

After the presentation of some memorials, the question of order, relative to allowing Mr. FORSYTH to introduce the whole of the President's Protest as an amendment to Mr. POINDEXTER'S resolutions,—by that means getting it inserted on the journals,—was debated by Messrs. POINDEXTER, CALHOUN, CLAY, CHAMBERS, WRIGHT, and others; Mr. KING, of Alabama, in the Chair. Before the question was taken on this question of order, the Senate adjourned.

In the House of Representatives, Mr. POLK, from the Committee of Ways and Means, reported a bill providing for the disposition of the public money in the State Banks, &c.

The appropriation Bill was then taken up, and discussed till the House adjourned.

NEW GOODS.

GEO. S. HOUGH

IS now opening a considerable addition to his assortment received a few days since, among which are

Super Italian Lustrings and Poul de Soie; Gros de Naps, Florences, and Sattins; black Satin Levantines, (cheap); Fancy Gauze Bonnet and Cap Ribbons; Mantua ditto of all colors and widths; colored Cambrics; Bonnet do; real Grass Cloth, for summer wear; brown French Linens; white and colored Drillings, some super; Virginia and Summer Cloths; Lasting and Circassians; Russia, Damask and other Diapers; soft dressed Irish Linens; Linen Cambric; ditto Hdks; Fancy do., in great variety; French and English Gingham; a beautiful assortment of Painted Muslins and Chintzes; Plain and Embroidered Silk Hose, Cotton ditto, for women and children; men's Mixed do, very good; men's and women's super Hoskin Gloves; long white do; Hildick's Spool Cotton; white, green, and black Blond Veils; Vesting; white and striped Satteen; fine black Bombazette and Bombazine; Umbrellas and Parasols; Stripes and other wear for boys; Bobbinette and Grecianette; Feather and Leaf Fans; blue and yellow Nankeens; super Pongees; Bandanna and Flag Hdks, some super; Brown Hollands and Lawns; brown and white Russia Sheetings; Irish ditto; Burlaps and Osnaburgs; Fancy Hair Brushes; colored and white Knitting Cotton; Knotted and Mersailles Quilts; Silk Velvets, all colors; black Tabby do., some very good; Corded Skirts; a beautiful assortment of Tuscan, Calimata, Berlin and English Dunstable Bonnets; very tasty Patterns; Artificial Flowers and Sprigs; super olive, brown, mulberry, black, blue and dalia Cloths; with most other articles in his line, which renders his assortment choice and general. 4 mo 22

COTTON YARN, DOMESTIC PIECE-GOODS, &c.

THE subscriber, having made arrangements with the proprietors of the Occoquan Factory for the sale of their GOODS, offers, on favorable terms—

40,000 lbs. Spun Cotton, various Nos.
Carpet Chain, Batting, and Seine Twine a constant supply of which will be received, and their well known high character still maintained. Orders from Merchants, town and country, will be executed at Baltimore prices, for articles of like good quality.

Also just received from the Eastward, for sale low, by the package or piece—

Domestic Bleached and Brown Sheetings and Shirts

Bed Ticking

Calicoes, some new style and beautiful

French Black Silks

L. P. Madeira Wine, old and very superior, in qr. casks and cases of 1 and 2 dozen

34 hds Pennsylvania Whiskey

JAMES W. SCOTT, Union street.
apr 21—tf

PAINTED MUSLINS—NEW STYLE CALICOES, GINGHAMS, TWISTED SILK HANDKERCHIEFS, &c. &c.

A. LOCKWOOD has just received a well-selected assortment of *New and Handsome SPRING GOODS*. Purchasers are invited to call and view them. apr 10—eo7t

WILLIAM STABLER

HAS received the following articles, with others, in addition to his stock, viz:

Fresh Chamomile Flowers

Soda for Washing; superior Sal Etratus

Butler's Magnesian Aperient

Moxon's do do

Best Honduras Sarsaparilla

Best Jamaica Ginger, bleached, in race and powder

Best Turkey and India Rhubarb, in root

Washed Sponge; Evans's Lancets; genuine

White Mustard Seed, very superior and fresh, for medical use

Camel's Hair Pencils, long and short, superior

Pure English Mustard

Opium, Turkey and Egyptian

Bermuda Arrow Root

Griffiths' Adhesive Plaster, spread

English do do do

Fine Flake Manna; Prepared Charcoal

Spanish Flint Indigo

Pearl Tapioca, a beautiful article

Salad Oil, fresh

Sheet Gum Elastic, for Rheumatism

Silver grain Cochineal

Calcined Magnesia, (English)

Do do do heavy

Do do Henry's

Acidulated Lemon Drops, (English)

Ginger, Peppermint, and Fruit Lozenges (do)

Dr. Ambler's Tooth Powder

Low's Double Distilled Lavender Water, a very superior article, (English)

An assortment of **NEW CHEMICALS**, viz: Strychine, Morphine, Quinine, Iodine, &c.

N. B. SODA WATER, carefully prepared by W. S. with apparatus of the best construction, may now be had, and will be kept running throughout the season. Particular attention is paid to the Syrups, which are formed of the best materials. 4th mo 22

YOUNG HYSON TEA.

20 Half-chests Young Hyson Tea, Sabina's cargo, received per schr. Columbia and for sale by STEPHEN SHINN,
apr 21 Janney's Wharf.

FRENCH INSTRUCTION.

MR. GUEGAN respectfully informs the lovers of his native language that he teaches it in this town—to Young Ladies at the Seminars of Mrs. E. C. Porter and Misses Muir—to Young Gentlemen at the Alexandria Boarding School of Mr. Benjamin Hallwell—and at private dwellings to pupils forming themselves into classes of two or more. His terms are \$6 per quarter.
City Hotel, January 8—w3w

AUCTION SALES.

MARSHAL'S SALE.

WILL be sold for cash, on Saturday, the 10th day of May next, at 11 o'clock, all the right, title, and interest, of Peter Hewitt and Jane Moxley in the following Property, to wit:—One LOT, with a two-story Brick HOUSE thereon, now occupied by Hugh Leddy, situated on Royal street, between King and Cameron streets, 24 feet on Royal street, and running westwardly 124 feet.

Also, one other FRAME HOUSE and LOT, now occupied by the said Jane Moxley, situated on the east side of Pitt street, and binding on the said Pitt street 22 feet, and running eastwardly 114 feet 5 inches, to a nine feet alley.

The above property is sold to satisfy a judgment due Tench Ringgold, for the use of Ashby and Stribling, plaintiffs, against Peter Hewitt and Jane Moxley, defendants.

C. SCOTT, D. M.
apr 9—eots For H. Ashton, late Marshal.

ICE! ICE! ICE!

THE subscribers for ICE are respectfully informed that I have commenced delivering Ice, corner Prince and Fairfax streets, from sunrise one hour, and from 1